


Councilmember Harold Brazil

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9 IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
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15 To provide funds to market District neighborhoods to private entities in order to bring
16 retail, commercial, and housing investments into our neighborhoods.
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,

19 That this act may be cited as the "Marketing Our Neighborhoods Act of 2003".

20 **Sec. 2. Dedicated funding for marketing District neighborhoods.**

21 For fiscal years 2004 and 2005, the Mayor shall include in the annual budget that
22 the Mayor is required to submit to the Council pursuant to section 442 of the District of
23 Columbia Home Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 898; D.C. Official
24 Code § 1-204.42) an allocation of \$500,000 to the D.C. Marketing Center beyond the
25 allocation of funding by the District to the Marketing Center for FY 2003; provided, the
26 Marketing Center shall dedicate the funds to marketing District neighborhoods outside
27 downtown to private parties in order to bring retail, commercial, and housing investments
28 to the marketed neighborhoods. The Marketing Center shall coordinate the use of a
29 portion of the funds to the Mayor's development plans under the Targeted Neigh

30 **Sec. 3. Fiscal impact statement.**

31 The Council adopts the fiscal impact statement in the committee report as the
32 fiscal impact statement required by section 602(c)(3) of the District of Columbia Home

1 Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-
2 206.02(c)(3)).

3 **Sec. 4. Effective date.**

4 This act shall take effect following approval by the Mayor (or in the event of veto
5 by the Mayor, action by the Council to override the veto), a 30-day period of
6 Congressional review as provided in section 602(c)(1) of the District of Columbia Home
7 Rule Act, approved December 24, 1973 (87 Stat. 813; D.C. Official Code § 1-
8 206.02(c)(1)), and publication in the District of Columbia Register.